# Mountain Weather Forecast

## Mourne Mountains

Forecast valid from 00:00 on Saturday 27 Feb 2021 until 23:59 on Sunday 28 Feb 2021

Forecast Issued on Friday 26 Feb 2021 at 15:47

**Confidence:** High for mostly dry, settled weather over the weekend and into next week. Lower confidence in day to day cloud details.

**Headline for Saturday 27 Feb 2021:** Early rain soon clearing. Brightening up during morning. Some afternoon sunshine. Lighter winds on the tops.

**Mountain weather hazards on Saturday 27 Feb 2021**

**Blizzards**
No Likelihood

**Heavy Snow**
No Likelihood

**Storm force winds**
No Likelihood

**Gales**
No Likelihood

**Severe chill effect**
No Likelihood

**Poor visibility**
Medium Likelihood

**Thunderstorms**
No Likelihood

**Heavy persistent rain**
No Likelihood

**Strong sunlight**
No Likelihood

| **Weather and chance of precipitation at 700m** | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Time | | | | | | | |
| 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 |
| | | | | | | | |
| Partly cloudy (night) | Cloudy | Cloudy | Light rain | Cloudy | Sunny intervals | Partly cloudy (night) | Partly cloudy (night) |
| Precipitation probability | | | | | | | |
| 00% | 10% | 20% | 40% | 20% | 10% | 10% | 10% |

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**Weather:** Cloudy much of the morning with light rain at first, soon dying out. Then brightening up for the afternoon with some sunshine.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** Little chance at first improving 60% in the afternoon.

**Visibility:** Misty conditions for a time during the morning with extensive cloud cover well down the hills. Visibility becoming good later in the morning with clouds lifting above some of the tops in the afternoon with some breaks developing,

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| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) | | | | | Wind Direction (blowing from) | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 25/37 SW | 22/31 SW | 20/28 SW | 12/18 W | 6/8 SW | 7/10 SW | 7/9 SW | 7/9 SW | 6/8 SW |
| **300** | 7/18 SW | 6/14 SW | 5/13 W | 5/11 W | 4/7 SW | 6/8 SW | 3/5 SW | 3/5 W | 3/5 W |
| **Valley** | 5/16 SW | 3/11 S | 4/12 SW | 4/10 W | 3/6 SW | 5/8 SW | 2/4 S | 2/5 SW | 2/4 S |

| Height (m) | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | 00:00 | 03:00 | 06:00 | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| **600** | 3/-3 | 3/-3 | 3/-2 | 4/-1 | 5/3 | 6/3 | 5/2 | 4/2 | 4/2 |
| **300** | 4/2 | 4/2 | 4/2 | 5/3 | 7/6 | 8/6 | 6/5 | 5/4 | 4/3 |
| **Valley** | 5/3 | 4/2 | 5/3 | 6/5 | 8/8 | 9/7 | 6/6 | 5/4 | 4/3 |
| **<< Freezing Level*** | 1300m | 1500m | 1500m | 1400m | 1400m | 1300m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m |

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

**Meteorologist's View**

Note winds becoming much lighter on the tops during the day.

**Forecast for Sunday 28 Feb 2021**

**Weather:** Some mist and low cloud at first, dispersing during the morning. Otherwise dry and bright with sunny spells.

**Maximum wind:** Southwesterly winds with average speeds of 10 to 15mph.

**Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 700m:** 50% improving 90% by afternoon.

**Visibility:** Banks of mist and low cloud at first, gradually dispersing during morning. Otherwise very good with only a few patches of cloud lingering on the tops.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 2 Celsius rising to plus 10 Celsius.
**At 700m:** Plus 3 Celsius.
**Freezing level:** Above the tops.

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